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In response to the action mailed March 27, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the title with the following:

-- COMBINATORIAL LIBRARIES DERIVED FROM AMINES, CARBONYL

COMPOUNDS AND ORGANOBORON DERIVATIVES -

In the claims:

Please cancel elaims 22-28 and 30-33 without prejudice.

Please amend claims 12, 19-21, 29 and 34-35 to read as follows:

--12. (Twice amended) A combinatorial library including a plurality of compounds, one or more of the plurality of compounds in the combinatorial library being prepared by a process comprising:

providing compounds of formula 13 and formula 14

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